



Dear Edison Community Supporter:

RE: EDISON HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC FACILITIES PROJECTS

The Edison Community Facilities Team, a subcommittee of the Edison Athletic Booster Club, has been working for several years to develop an athletic facilities plan for the Edison Local School District. Together with members of the community, the coaching staffs and parents, a plan to enhance the athletic opportunities for our students and members of the community has been developed.

The athletic facilities plan consists of three components: an auxiliary gymnasium attached to the east wall of the existing varsity competition gym at Edison High School; a multipurpose wrestling room addition attached to the south wall of Edison High School and an addition to the existing fieldhouse at Edison Stadium to provide an indoor artificial turf practice field. A more complete description of each project area is set forth in an attachment to this letter.

The Edison Local School District has attempted to maintain its existing athletic facilities. However, there have been no major expansions or renovations for many years. Our athletes have had to share limited practice space, adjust to changes and cancelations in practice schedules due to conflicts and inclement weather, and even practice as late as 10 pm. These issues effect student athletes from the high school level to the elementary level.

As youth sports participation at the elementary and middle school levels grows, their practice needs contribute to the strain on existing facilities. The Berlin Heights and Milan communities do not have a community recreation center. Therefore, the school district is the focal point for recreational opportunities for all student athletes and community members.

We are seeking to raise private funds from the community to undertake this worthwhile project. If necessary, we will complete the project in stages as sponsor interest and funding allows. Included in this package are a number of opportunities that will allow you to be part of this exciting and important undertaking on behalf of our students and community. Let's give our student athletes the facilities they need to grow both on and off the field.

Go Chargers!

The Edison Community Facilities Team
A subcommittee of the Edison Athletic Booster Club



Edison High School Auxiliary Gymnasium – Est. cost \$1,000,000

The addition of an auxiliary gym has been the most anticipated improvement for athletics at Edison Local School District due to its impact on all students. The new gym will be used as a practice space for all sports in all seasons. It will include a regulation size basketball court, an additional locker room, equipment storage, expanded balcony space and an athletic lobby. This 9,372 sq. ft. addition will be positioned on the east wall of the existing varsity competition gym at Edison High School.

Edison High School Multipurpose Wrestling Room – Est. cost \$500,000

Presently, the wrestling program uses the balcony space in the existing gym. This has led to scheduling conflicts and disruptions within the main gym and locker rooms below. It is proposed to add a multipurpose wrestling room to the south side of the existing gym that can also be used for many athletic functions. The Edison wrestling staff assisted in the design so it will reflect their practice goals and objectives. The addition will be 4,160 sq. ft. and dramatically improve the front elevation of Edison High School.

Edison High School Fieldhouse – Est. cost \$500,000

A new stadium fieldhouse will be added to the existing fieldhouse providing a 50 yard by 33 yard indoor artificial turf practice field to be used by all sports in all seasons. Included in the project will be the relocation of the home locker room and improvements to the visitor's locker room. Space will also be provided for coaches' offices and equipment storage. The project will include a mezzanine space and an outdoor deck with visibility over the varsity football field and track. The new field house will include 15,000 sq. ft.